

# State of Wisconsin



2013 Assembly Joint Resolution 29

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## ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION

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Whereas, William J. Duffy grew up in Hollandtown, Wisconsin, and graduated from Kaukauna High School and St. Norbert College, followed by law school at the University of Wisconsin, graduating in 1941; and

Whereas, upon graduation from law school William J. Duffy enlisted in the U.S. Army Air Corps, serving as a captain in the South Pacific during World War II; and

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**Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That** the members of the Wisconsin legislature commend the life and public service of Judge William J. Duffy, mourn his passing, and extend their condolences to his family and friends; and, be it further

**Resolved, That** the assembly chief clerk shall provide a copy of this joint resolution to William J. Duffy's children, Mary, Michael, Sally, Trish, and John.

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Senator Michael G. Ellis  
President of the Senate

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Representative Robin J. Vos  
Speaker of the Assembly

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Date

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Patrick E. Fuller  
Assembly Chief Clerk

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- 05-01. A. Introduced by Representatives **Genrich, Weininger, Bies, Goyke and Klenke**; cosponsored by Senators **Hansen and Cowles.** ..... 137
- 05-01. A. Read and referred to Committee on Rules ..... 137

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- 01-08. A. Placed on calendar 1-14-2014 by Committee on Rules
- 01-14. A. Entire membership of the Assembly added as coauthors ..... 523
- 01-14. A. **Adopted** ..... 523
- 01-14. A. Ordered immediately messaged ..... 523
- 01-15. S. Received from Assembly ..... 575
- 01-15. S. Read and referred to committee on Senate Organization ..... 575
- 01-15. S. Available for scheduling
- 01-16. S. Placed on calendar 1-22-2014 pursuant to Senate Rule 18(1) ..... 579
- 01-22. S. Read
- 01-22. S. **Concurred in** by unanimous rising vote
- 01-22. S. Entire membership of the Senate added as cosponsors
- 01-22. S. Ordered immediately messaged
- 01-22. A. Received from Senate concurred in

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